

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. **(Currently Amended)** An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask, comprising: in terms of % by weight, 34.0 - 38.0% ~~34.0 to 38.0%~~ of Ni, 0.10 - 0.45% ~~0.05 to 0.45%~~ of Cu, greater than 0.10 - 0.50 ~~0.10 to 0.50%~~ of a combined total for Mn and Cu, no more than 0.10% of Si and 0.0004 - 0.005% ~~0.0004 to 0.005%~~ of S with the balance being Fe and other unavoidable impurities; wherein the a total count of MnS precipitates and ~~Cu-S type~~ precipitates comprising a composition shown in a binary phase diagram for Cu-S, both precipitates having a diameter of 0.01 - 3 ~~0.01 to 3~~ μm , located on the surface of a foil strip 0.05 - 0.3 ~~0.05 to 0.3~~ mm thick, is being at least 2,000 count/mm².

2. **(Currently Amended)** An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask, comprising: in terms of % by weight, 30.5 - 34.5 ~~30.5 to 34.5%~~ of Ni, 35.0 - 38.0 ~~35.0 to 38.0%~~ of a combined total of Ni and Co, 0.10 - 0.45 ~~0.05 to 0.45%~~ of Cu, greater than 0.10 - 0.50 ~~0.10 to 0.50%~~ of a combined total of Mn and Cu, no more than 0.10 of Si and 0.0004 - 0.005 ~~0.0004 to 0.005%~~ of S with the balance being Fe and other unavoidable impurities; wherein the a total count of MnS precipitates and ~~Cu-S type~~ precipitates comprising a composition shown in a binary phase diagram for Cu-S, both precipitates having a diameter of 0.01 - 3 ~~0.01 to 3~~ μm , located on the surface of a foil strip 0.05 to 0.3 mm thick, is being at least 2,000 count/mm².

3. **(Currently Amended)** An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, further comprising 0.10 - 1.0 ~~wherein: containing 0.10 to 1.0%~~ by weight of Nb.

4. **(Currently Amended)** An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according

to claim ~~Claims~~ 2, further comprising 0.10 - 1.0 ~~wherein: containing 0.10 to 1.0%~~ by weight of Nb.

5. **(Currently Amended)** A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim ~~Claims~~ 1, comprising recrystallization annealing ~~wherein: a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000~~ ~~650 to 1000°C during~~ ~~recrystallization annealing.~~

6. **(Currently Amended)** A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim ~~Claims~~ 2, comprising recrystallization annealing ~~wherein: a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000~~ ~~650 to 1000°C during~~ ~~recrystallization annealing.~~

7. **(Currently Amended)** A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim ~~Claims~~ 3, comprising recrystallization annealing ~~wherein: a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000~~ ~~650 to 1000°C during~~ ~~recrystallization annealing.~~

8. **(Currently Amended)** A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim ~~Claims~~ 4, comprising recrystallization annealing ~~wherein: a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000~~ ~~650 to 1000°C during~~ ~~recrystallization annealing.~~

Please add the following new claims:

--9. **(New)** An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask, comprising: in terms of % by weight, 34.0 - 38.0% of Ni, 0.10 - 0.45% of Cu, greater than 0.10 - 0.50% of a combined total for Mn and Cu, no more than 0.10% of Si and 0.0004 - 0.005% of S with the balance being Fe and other unavoidable impurities; wherein the total count of MnS

precipitates and precipitates comprising CuS, both precipitates and/or Cu₂S having a diameter of 0.01 - 3 μm₁ located on the surface of a foil strip 0.05 - 0.3 mm thick₁ is at least 2,000 count/mm².

10. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask, comprising: in terms of % by weight, 30.5 - 34.5% of Ni, 35.0 - 38.0% of a combined total of Ni and Co, 0.10 - 0.45% of Cu, greater than 0.10 - 0.50% of a combined total of Mn and Cu, no more than 0.10% of Si and 0.0004 - 0.005% of S with the balance being Fe and other unavoidable impurities; wherein the total count of MnS precipitates and precipitates comprising CuS and/or Cu₂S, both precipitates having a diameter of 0.01 - 3 μm, located on the surface of a foil strip 0.05 - 0.3 mm thick, is at least 2,000 count/mm².

11. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material according to claim 9, wherein the precipitates consist of CuS and/or Cu₂S.

12. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material according to claim 10, wherein the precipitates consist of CuS and/or Cu₂S.

13. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material according to claim 1, wherein the precipitates consist of a composition shown in a binary phase diagram for Cu-S.

14. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material according to claim 2, wherein the precipitates consist of a composition shown in a binary phase diagram for Cu-S.

15. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 13, further comprising 0.10 – 1.0% by weight of Nb.

16. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 14, further comprising 0.10 – 1.0% by weight of Nb.

17. (New) A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 13, comprising recrystallization annealing a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000°C.

18. (New) A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 14, comprising recrystallization annealing a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000 °C.

19. (New) A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 15, comprising recrystallization annealing a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000 °C.

20. (New) A method for manufacturing Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 16, comprising recrystallization annealing a material at a temperature of 650 - 1000 °C.

21. (New) An Fe-Ni alloy material for a shadow mask according to claim 2, comprising a combined total of Mn and Cu of 0.12 - 0.50%.--